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In re Patent Application of: Michael J. O'Phelan et al.

Title: METHOD FOR INTERCONNECTING ANODES AND CATHODES IN A FLAT CAPACITOR

Attorney Docket No.: 279.339US3

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 - ☒ Copy of Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.182 from prior application (2 pgs.)
 - ☒ Copy of Decision on Petition Granting the order of named inventors (1 pg.) received in prior application.
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 - ☒ Prior application is assigned of record to Cardiac Pacemakers, Inc.
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Applicant:	Michael J. O' Phelan et al.	Examiner:	Craig Thompson
Serial No.:	10/299,234	Group Art Unit:	2813
Filed:	November 19, 2002	Docket:	279.339US2
Title:	METHOD FOR INTERCONNECTING ANODES AND CATHODES IN A FLAT CAPACITOR		

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.182

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Dear Sir:

Prior to issuance of the above-identified patent application, Applicants respectfully request the following change in the order of names of the joint inventors:

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In accordance with §1.182, Applicants hereby authorize the Commissioner to charge the petition fee of \$130.00, as set forth in §1.17(h), and any additional fees deemed necessary, to Deposit Account 19-0743.

Please contact Applicants' Representatives at the below-listed telephone number if it is believed that consideration of this matter may be assisted thereby.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL J. O'PHELAN ET AL.

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This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.182, filed November 7, 2003, to change the order of inventors in the above-identified application.

The current Office procedure for changing the order of inventors named in an application involves submitting a petition under 37 CFR 1.182 signed by either the attorney or agent of record or all of the applicants designating the desired changed.

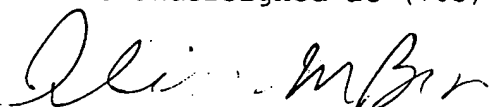
The instant petition has met the criteria for changing the order of named inventors. Accordingly, the petition is GRANTED.

The order of inventors will be changed as follows:

1. BRIAN L. SCHMIDT
2. MICHAEL J. O'PHELAN
3. MICHAEL KRAUTKRAMER
4. GREGORY J. SHERWOOD
5. A. GORDON BARR

This application is being forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for correction of the file wrapper label and the PALM database regarding the order of inventorship thereafter the application will be forwarded to the Office of Publications for further processing.

Telephone inquiries pertaining to this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 305-0310.


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